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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

5 A system and method of producing labels at remote locations
worldwide in communication with a server and central database via the
internet is shown and described. The system and method also allows the
ordering of labels at remote locations worldwide in communication with
the server and central database via the internet. Automatic typesetting
for label production is provided wherein various types of production,
10 image data files are generated in accordance with different requirements
from various customers and wherein the generated production files can
be used directly by the production machines for which they were
generated, different types of production files being automatically
generated for different types of production machines or printing
15 methods. The system and method of the present invention
accommodates vastly different printing methods including thermal
printing, lithographic printing, etc.

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